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Applicant : Paul Negulescu et al.  
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Examiner : R. Landsman

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated December 24, 2003, be extended for two months to and including May 24, 2004.

Enclosed is a check for \$420 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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